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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Erin Lynn Boynton

Title: METHODS FOR PREDICTING THE PREDISPOSITION OF AN INDIVIDUAL TO
TOTAL JOINT REPLACEMENT FAILURE

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Enclosed are:

- (X) Disclosure (17 sheets)
- (X) Claims (2 sheets)
- (X) Abstract (1 sheet)
- (X) Formal drawings (7 sheets)
- (X) Declaration/Power of Attorney with priority claim
- () Assignment(s)
- () Certified copy of the priority document(s)
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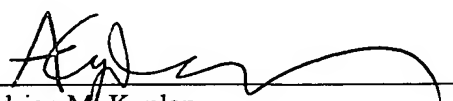
	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	12-20	
Indep. Claims	2- 3	
() Multiple dependent claims presented		

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- (X) Applicant claims small entity status.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to our Deposit Account No. 500663. A signed copy of this letter is enclosed if required for this purpose.

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Respectfully submitted,


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